

**GOVERNMENT OF TELANGANA
ABSTRACT**

Public Servants – PR&RD Department — Allegations of possession of assets disproportionate to the known sources of income and failure to obtain permission and intimation to the department about acquiring of movable and immovable properties against Sri W. Gyaneshwar former Assistant Executive Engineer, P.R., Raghunathapalli, Warangal District – Disciplinary action initiated – Enquiry conducted - Charge proved - Imposition of penalty of withholding of three (3) increments with cumulative effect under Telangana Civil Services (CC&A) Rules, 1991 - Orders - Issued.

PANCHAYAT RAJ & RURAL DEVELOPMENT (VIG.I) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Ms.No. 115

Dated: 30-10-2018

Read the following:-

- Ref:
1. From the DG, ACB, Hyderabad Rc.C.No.74/RCA-WWL/2008, dt.03.07.2009
 2. G.O.Rt.No.1169, P.R. & R.D. (Vig.I) Department, dt. 02.07.2012.
 3. WSD of Sri W. Gyaneshwar, former Assistant Executive Engineer, P.R., Raghunathapalli, Warangal District, dt. 11.01.2013.
 4. G.O.Rt.No.489, PR&RD (Vig.I) Dept., dt. 20.03.2013.
 5. G.O.Rt.No.2003, PR&RD (Vig.I) Dept., dt.04.12.2013
 6. G.O.Rt.No.502, PR&RD(Vig.I) Dept., dt.12.03.2014.
 7. G.O.Rt.No.63, PR&RD(Vig.I) Dept., dt.21.08.2014.
 8. From Sri Alok Srivastava, IPS (Retd.), Commissioner of Inquiries, GAD., D.O.Letter No.71/COI.AS/2014, dt.25.01.2016.
 9. Govt. Memo No.3592/Vig.I/A2/2008-16, PR&RD(Vig.I) Dept., dt.09.05.2016.
 10. Representation of Sri W. Gyaneshwar, the then Assistant Executive Engineer, P.R., Raghunathapalli, Warangal District, dt.Nil.
 11. Govt Letter No.3592/ Vig.I/A1/2008-17, PR&RD (Vig.I) Dept., dt:25.06.2018.
 12. From the TSPSC, Hyderabad Lr.No.622/RT/TSPSC/2018, dt.13.08.2018

ORDER:

In the reference 1st read above, it was brought to the notice of the Government by the appropriate authority that Sri W. Gyaneshwar former Assistant Executive Engineer, P.R., Raghunathapalli, Warangal District was trapped by the Anti Corruption Bureau authorities on 11.02.2008 when he demanded and accepted a bribe of Rs.5,000/- from complainant Sri Gollapalli Ravinder for showing official favour in recording of measurements in the Measurement Book and for issue of cheque for the work of laying water pipelines executed by the complainant. During the course of trap proceedings, the house of the A.O. Sri W. Gyaneshwar former Assistant Executive Engineer, P.R., Raghunathapalli, Warangal District was searched on 11.02.2008 and found incriminating and clinching evidence showing that the A.O. was in possession of assets disproportionate to his known sources of income.

2. After examination, disciplinary action was initiated by framing article of charges against Sri W. Gyaneshwar former Assistant Executive Engineer, P.R., Raghunathapalli on the allegation that (1) He acquired disproportionate assets to a tune of Rs.23,36,018-00 to the known sources of income (2) He neither obtained prior permission nor intimated to the department about the acquiring of movable and immovable properties and thereby failed to maintain absolute integrity in violation of A.P.C.S. (Conduct) Rules, 1964 vide reference 2nd read above,. The Charged Officer has submitted his Written Statement of Defence vide reference 3rd read above.

3. After examination of the Written Statement of Defence of the Charged Officer, orders were issued appointing Sri Jitender, IPS, Member, COI, GAD as Inquiring Authority for conducting inquiry into the charges framed against Sri W. Gyaneshwar, former Assistant Executive Engineer, P.R., Raghunathapalli, Warangal District, on the said allegations and Sri P. Srinivasa Reddy, Advocate was appointed as Presenting Officer vide reference 4th read above. Subsequently orders were issued changing the Inquiring Authorities and Presenting Officers vide references 5th to 7th read above.

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4. The Inquiring Authority submitted his Inquiry Report vide reference 8th read above wherein he has held that the charge against Sri W. Gyaneshwar as substantiated. After examination, a copy of Inquiry Report was communicated to Sri W. Gyaneshwar, former Assistant Executive Engineer, P.R., Raghunathapalli with a direction to submit his representation, if any, on the Inquiry Report as required under Rule 21 (2) of A.P. Civil Services (CC&A) Rules, 1991 vide reference 9th read above. The Charged Officer submitted his representation on the Inquiry Report vide reference 10th read above wherein he has stated that the Commissioner of Inquiries has not considered the evidence on record both oral and documentary and found the charges against him as proved.

5. After careful examination of the matter, Government have provisionally decided to impose a penalty of withholding of three (3) increments with cumulative effect against Sri W. Gyaneshwar, former Assistant Executive Engineer, P.R., Raghunathapalli, Warangal District under Rule 9 of T.C.S. (CC&A) Rules, 1991. Accordingly, in the reference 11th read above, the Telangana State Public Service Commission, Hyderabad, was consulted on the proposed penalty and in the reference 12th read above, the Commission conveyed its concurrence with the proposal of the Government.

6. Government after careful examination of the matter hereby order to impose a penalty of withholding of Three (3) increments with cumulative effect against Sri W. Gyaneshwar, former Assistant Executive Engineer, Panchayat Raj, Raghunathapalli, Warangal District under Rule 9 of T.C.S. (CC&A) Rules, 1991 on the allegation that (1) he acquired disproportionate assets to a tune of Rs.23,36,018-00 to the known sources of income (2) he neither obtained prior permission nor intimated to the Department about the acquiring of movable and immovable properties and thereby failed to maintain absolute integrity, in violation of Conduct Rules, 1964.

7. The Engineer-in-Chief, Panchayat Raj, Hyderabad shall take necessary further action accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF TELANGANA)

VIKAS RAJ
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT (PR&RD) (FAC)

To

Sri W. Gyaneshwar, former Assistant Executive Engineer, P.R., Raghunathapalli,
Warangal District **through** Engineer-in-Chief, Panchayat Raj, Hyderabad
The Engineer-in-Chief, Panchayat Raj, Hyderabad.

Copy to:

The Director General, Anti Corruption Bureau, Hyderabad,
The Secretary to V.C., Telangana Vigilance Commission, Hyderabad.
The Secretary to TSPSC, Hyderabad
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SECTION OFFICER